

# HOUSE BILL No. 1188

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 12-15-5-13.

**Synopsis:** Mental health and addiction services. Prohibits lifetime limitations on a Medicaid recipient receiving substance use disorder inpatient rehabilitation or treatment.

**Effective:** July 1, 2024.

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January 9, 2024, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 12-15-5-13, AS AMENDED BY P.L.179-2019,  
2 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3 JULY 1, 2024]: Sec. 13. (a) The office shall provide coverage for  
4 treatment of opioid or alcohol dependence that includes the following:  
5 (1) Counseling services that address the psychological and  
6 behavioral aspects of addiction.  
7 (2) When medically indicated, drug treatment involving agents  
8 approved by the federal Food and Drug Administration for the:  
9 (A) treatment of opioid or alcohol dependence; or  
10 (B) prevention of relapse to opioids or alcohol after  
11 detoxification.  
12 (3) When determined by the treatment plan to be medically  
13 necessary, inpatient detoxification in accordance with the most  
14 current edition of the American Society of Addiction Medicine  
15 Patient Placement Criteria.  
16 (b) The office shall:  
17 (1) develop quality measures to ensure; and



1           (2) require a managed care organization to report;  
2 compliance with the coverage required under subsection (a).  
3           (c) The office may implement quality capitation withholding of  
4 reimbursement to ensure that a managed care organization has  
5 provided the coverage required under subsection (a).  
6           (d) The office shall report the clinical use of the medications  
7 covered under this section to the mental health Medicaid quality  
8 advisory committee established by IC 12-15-35-51. The mental health  
9 Medicaid quality advisory committee may make recommendations to  
10 the office concerning this section.  
11           **(e) The office may not place an overall limitation on the amount**  
12 **of substance use disorder inpatient rehabilitation or treatment that**  
13 **a Medicaid recipient may receive in the recipient's lifetime.**

